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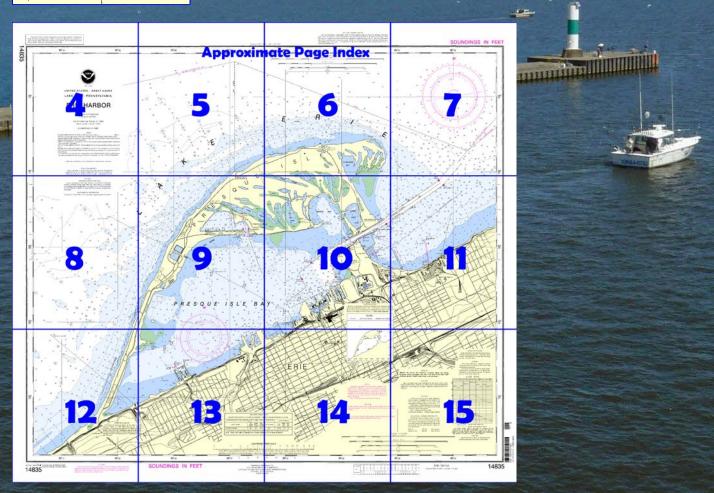
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Erie Harbor NOAA Chart 14835

A reduced-scale NOAA nautical chart for small boaters When possible, use the full-size NOAA chart for navigation.



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What are Nautical Charts?

Nautical charts are a fundamental tool of marine navigation. They show water depths, obstructions, buoys, other aids to navigation, and much more. The information is shown in a way that promotes safe and efficient navigation. Chart carriage is mandatory on the commercial ships that carry America's commerce. They are also used on every Navy and Coast Guard ship, fishing and passenger vessels, and are widely carried by recreational boaters.

What is a BookletChart[™]?

This BookletChart is made to help recreational boaters locate themselves on the water. It has been reduced in scale for convenience, but otherwise contains all the information of the full-scale nautical chart. The bar scales have also been reduced, and are accurate when used to measure distances in this BookletChart. See the Note at the bottom of page 5 for the reduction in scale applied to this chart.

Whenever possible, use the official, full scale NOAA nautical chart for navigation. Nautical chart sales agents are listed on the Internet at http://www.NauticalCharts.NOAA.gov.

This BookletChart does NOT fulfill chart carriage requirements for regulated commercial vessels under Titles 33 and 44 of the Code of Federal Regulations.

Notice to Mariners Correction Status

This BookletChart has been updated for chart corrections published in the U.S. Coast Guard Local Notice to Mariners, the National Geospatial Intelligence Agency Weekly Notice to Mariners, and, where applicable, the Canadian Coast Guard Notice to Mariners. Additional chart corrections have been made by NOAA in advance of their publication in a Notice to Mariners. The last Notices to Mariners applied to this chart are listed in the Note at the bottom of page 7. Coast Pilot excerpts are not being corrected.

For latest Coast Pilot excerpt visit the Office of Coast Survey website at http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/searchbychart.php?chart=148
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(Selected Excerpts from Coast Pilot)
Presque Isle (42°10.4'N., 80°04.8'W.) is an irregularly shaped peninsula forming nearly landlocked Erie Harbor. The peninsula is connected to the mainland by a narrow neck at the W end and broadens as it curves around to the NE and E. The entrance to Erie Harbor is on the S side of the E end of the peninsula. Presque Isle State Park is on the peninsula. Presque Isle Light (42°09.9'N., 80°06.9'W.), 73 feet above the water, is shown from a white

square tower with an attached red dwelling on the NW shore of the peninsula. Numerous shore protection structures extend lakeward from

the lakeside of the peninsula. Small-craft operators are cautioned to keep 500 feet offshore in the vicinity of these structures.

Erie Harbor, about 78 miles SW of Buffalo, is in **Presque Isle Bay**, enclosed from the lake by Presque Isle. The bay opens to the E and is about 4.5 miles long and 1.5 miles wide. Erie Harbor, serving the city of **Erie**, **Pa.**, is in the SE part of the bay.

Erie Harbor Pierhead Light (42°09.4'N., 80°04.3'W.), 42 feet above the water, is shown from a black and white horizontally banded square tower on the outer end of the N entrance pier. A fog signal is at the light. Misery Bay is an indentation in the S side of Presque Isle N of Erie Harbor Entrance Channel. The bay has depths of 5 to 10 feet except for shoaling along the edges. A rock which bares is on the E side of the bay on the S side of the channel leading to Horse Shoe Pond.

Erie Coast Guard Station is on the N side of the entrance channel. Harbor Regulations are established by the Erie-Western Pennsylvania Port Authority and enforced by the harbormaster. A speed limit of 3 mph is enforced in the East and West Canal Basins and within 300 feet of the shoreline, and 5 mph elsewhere in the harbor. Copies of the regulations may be obtained from the Port Authority Office, 17 W. Dobins Landing, Erie, PA 16501, telephone (814) 455-7557. Numerous marinas and boatyards in Canal Basin on the S side of Erie Harbor provide transient berths, gasoline, diesel fuel, water, ice, electricity, sewage pump-out, and marine supplies. Mobile lifts to 30 tons, fixed lifts to 60 tons, and marine railways to 100 tons are available for hull, engine, and electronic repairs. In 1990, depths of 3 to 12 feet were alongside the gasoline docks.

Anchorages.—Good anchorage is in the center of Presque Isle Bay in depths of 12 to 22 feet, mud bottom. Local regulations prohibit vessels from anchoring in any channel or mooring to channel markers and buoys. Vessels over 100 feet long or over 50 tons are prohibited from anchoring within 500 feet of the city water intake or sewer pipelines. The city water intake extends NW across Presque Isle Bay and is marked by buoys.

Dangers.—An unmarked submerged pier, covered 1 to 2 feet, extends about 2,000 feet from shore 0.8 mile SSE of Erie Harbor Pierhead Light. Wharves.—The piers and wharves of Erie Harbor are along the south side of Presque Isle Bay. Only the deep-draft facilities are described. (For a complete description of the port facilities, refer to Port Series No. 42, published and sold by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. See Appendix A for address.) The alongside depths for the facilities described are reported depths. (For information on the latest depths, contact the operator.) All the facilities described have highway and rail connections. Water and electrical shore-power connections are available at some of the piers and wharves.

General cargo at the port is usually handled by ship's tackle; special handling equipment, if available, is mentioned in the description of the particular facility. Cranes to 300 tons are available at the Erie International Marine Terminal.

Supplies.—By special arrangement, local dealers make tank truck deliveries of bunker fuel to vessels at the berths. Diesel fuel, marine supplies, and provisions are available at Erie.

Small-craft facilities.—Numerous marinas and boatyards in **Canal Basin** on the south side of Erie Harbor provide transient berths, gasoline, diesel fuel, water, ice, electricity, sewage pump-out, and marine supplies. Vertical boat lifts to 40 tons and a 40-ton marine railway are available for hull, engine, and electronic repairs.

U.S. Coast Guard Rescue Coordination Center 24 hour Regional Contact for Emergencies

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9th CG District Cleveland, OH

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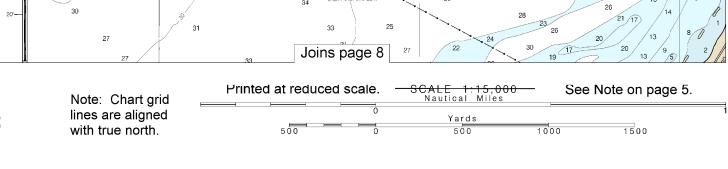
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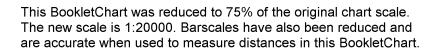
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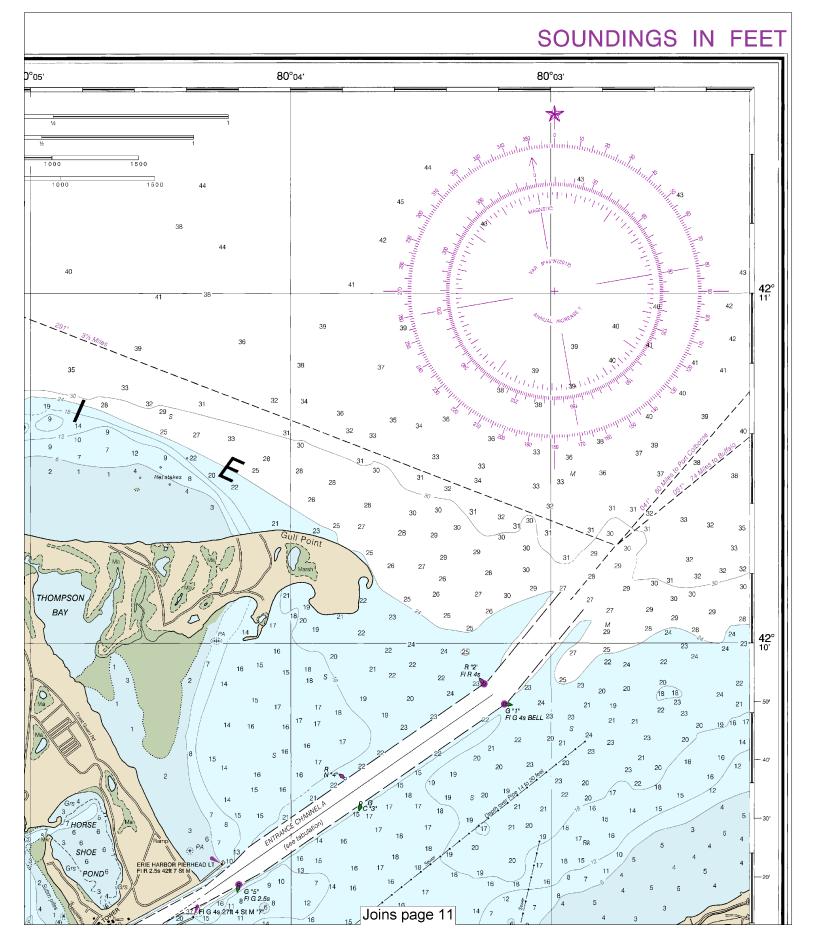
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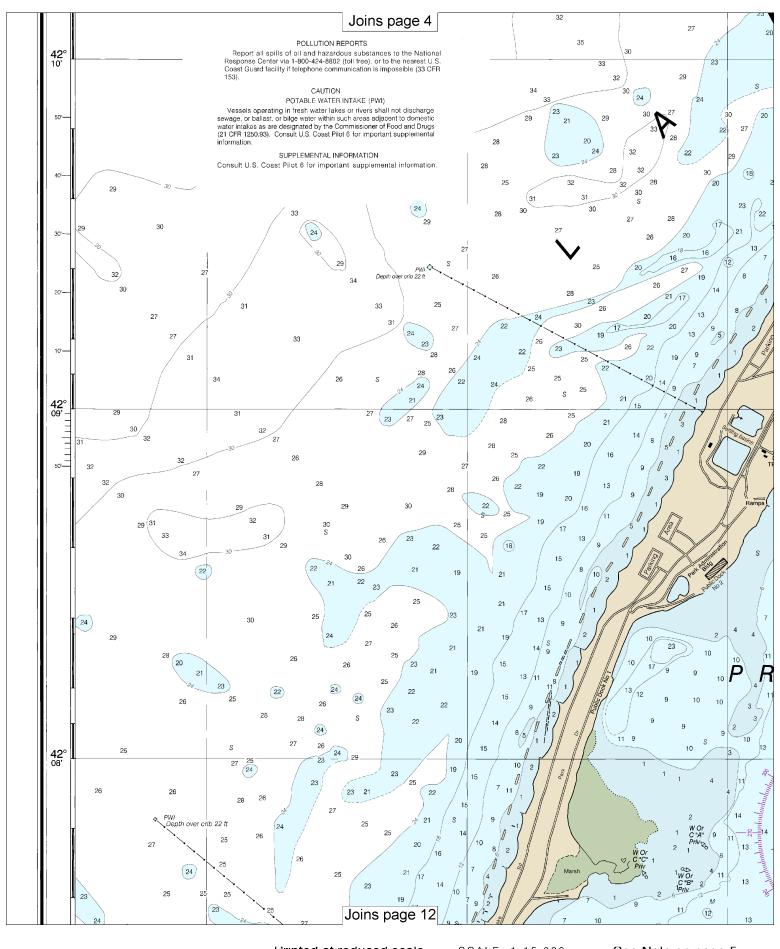


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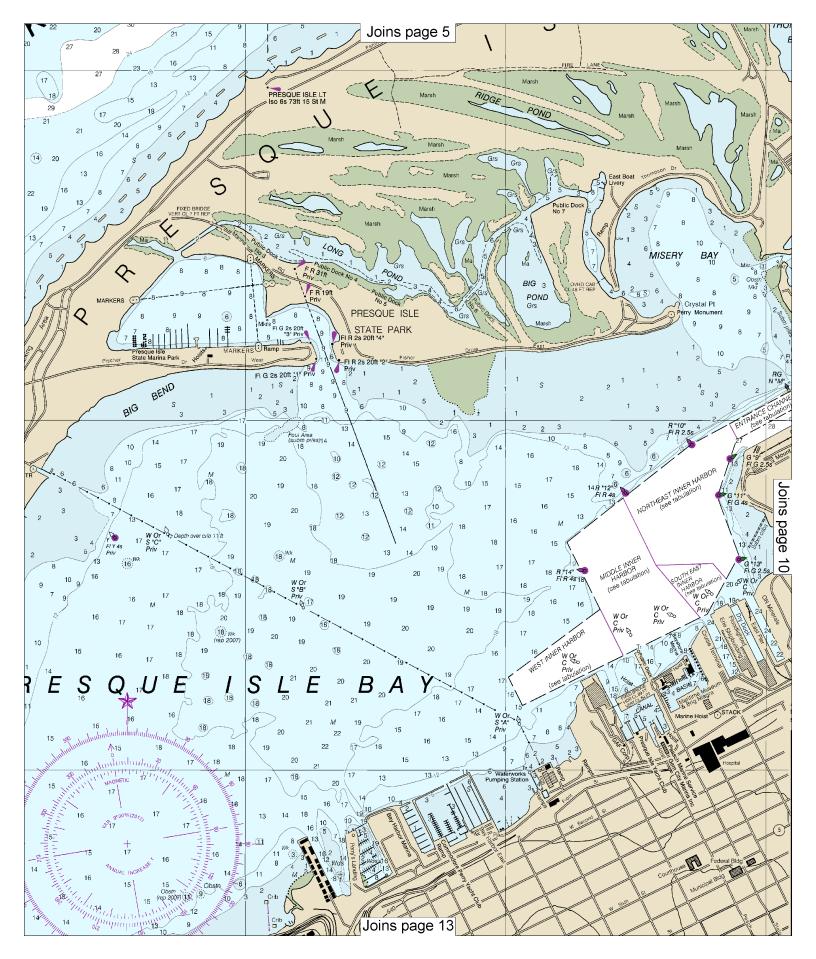


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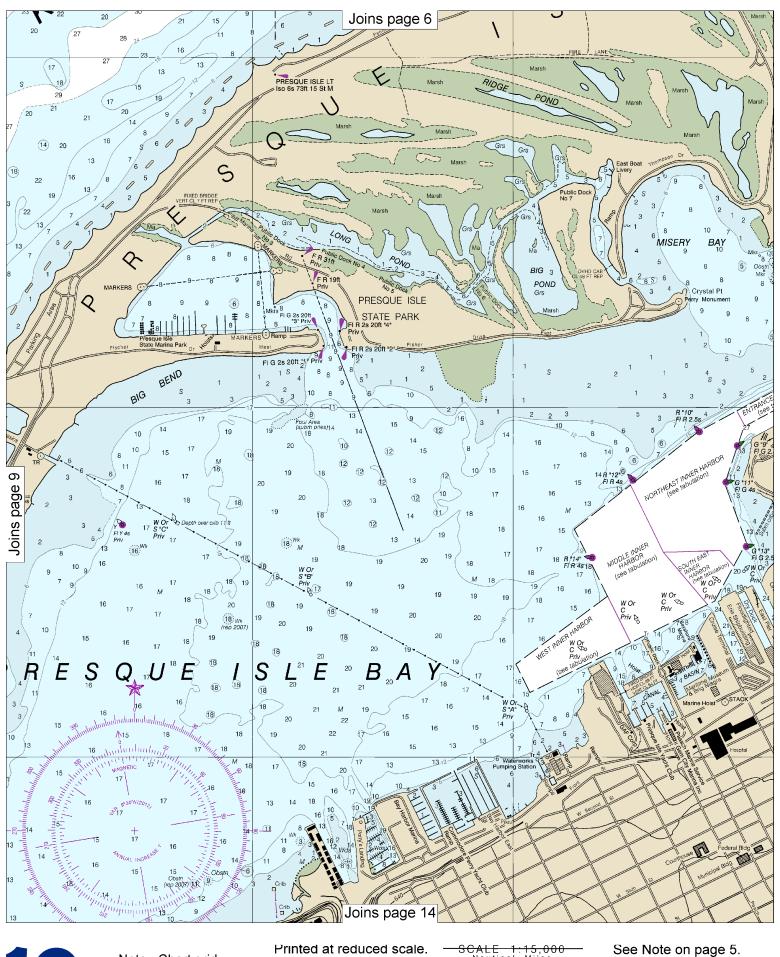






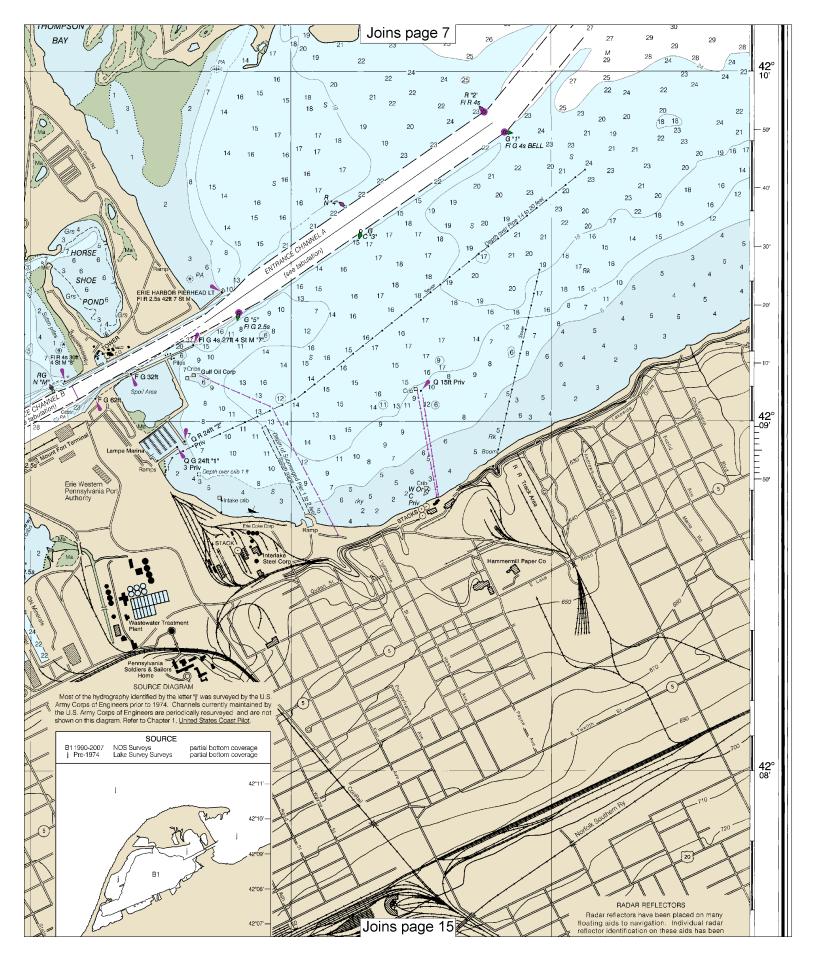


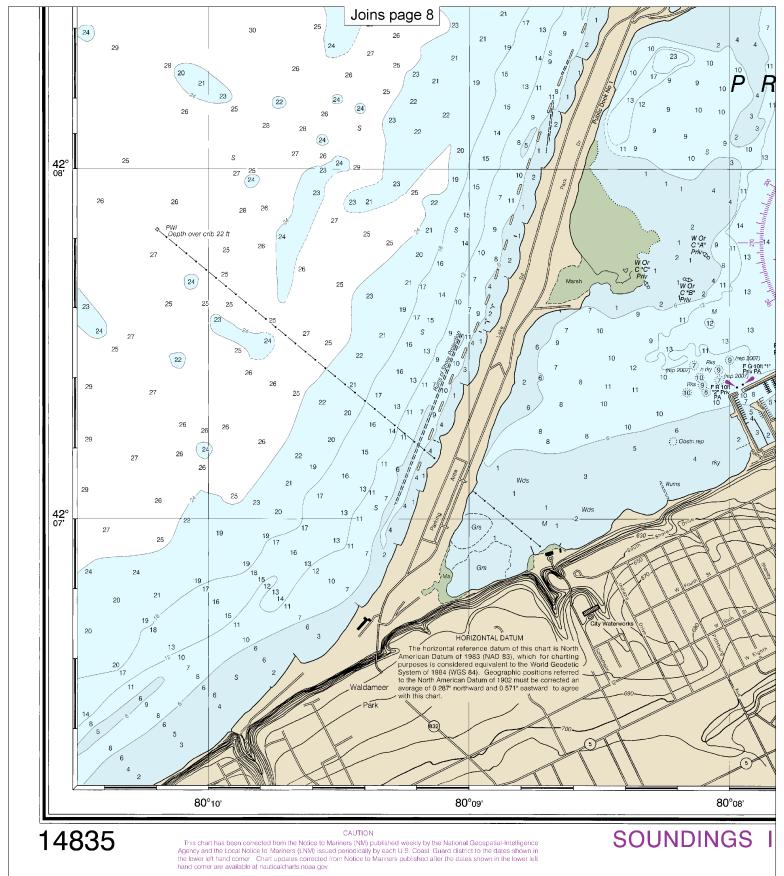




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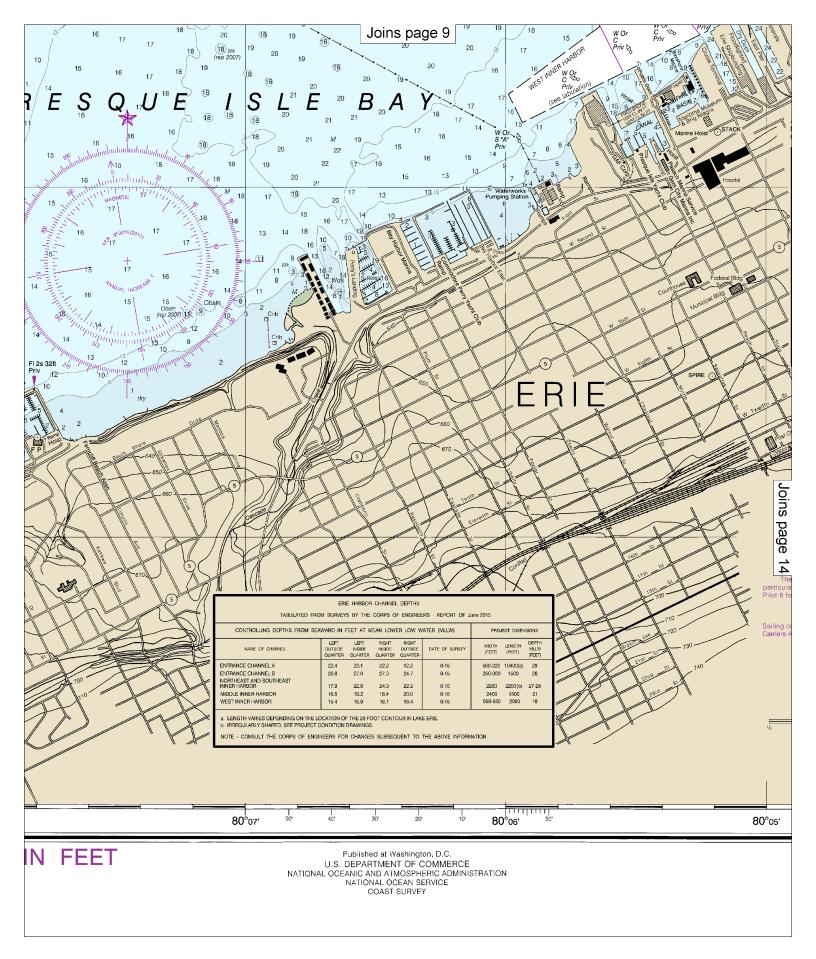


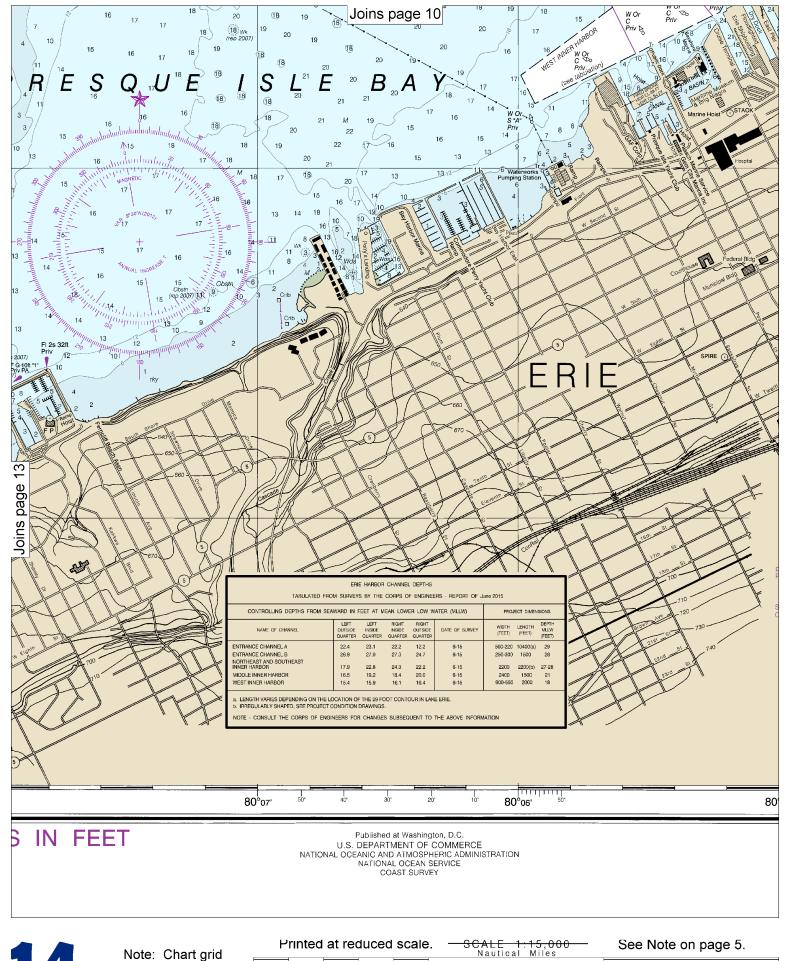


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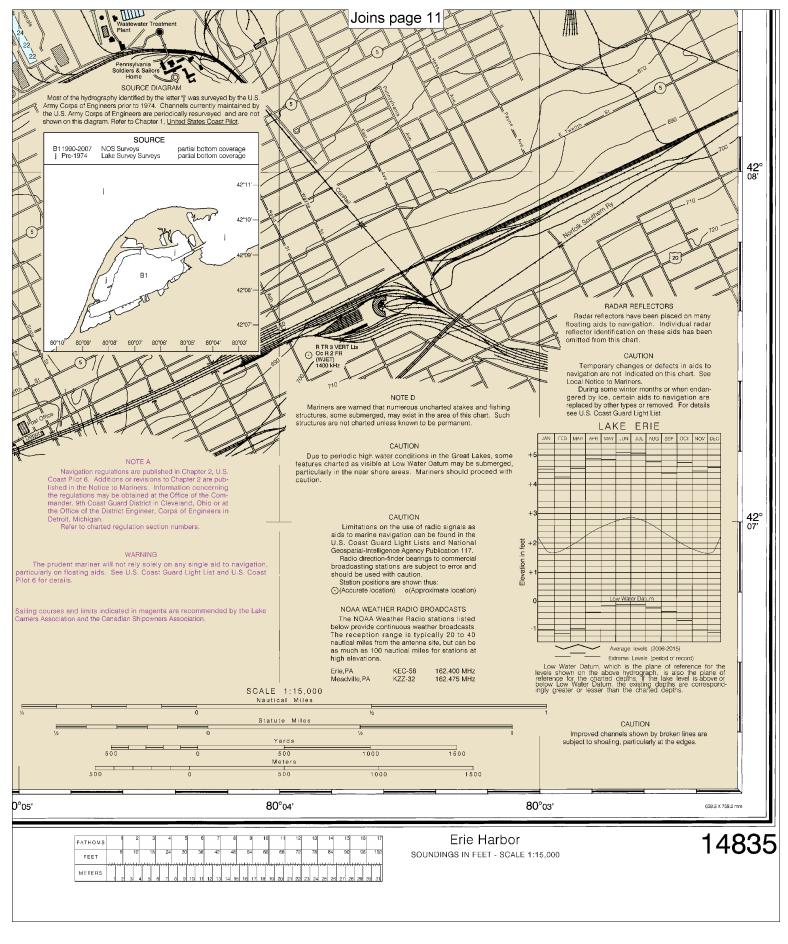






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VHF Marine Radio channels for use on the waterways:

Channel 6 – Inter-ship safety communications.

Channel 9 – Communications between boats and ship-to-coast.

Channel 13 – Navigation purposes at bridges, locks, and harbors.

Channel 16 – Emergency, distress and safety calls to Coast Guard and others, and to initiate calls to other

vessels. Contact the other vessel, agree to another channel, and then switch.

Channel 22A – Calls between the Coast Guard and the public. Severe weather warnings, hazards to navigation and safety warnings are broadcast here. Channels 68, 69, 71, 72 and 78A – Recreational boat channels.

Getting and Giving Help — Signal other boaters using visual distress signals (flares, orange flag, lights, arm signals); whistles; horns; and on your VHF radio. You are required by law to help boaters in trouble. Respond to distress signals, but do not endanger yourself.

Distress Call Procedures

- Make sure radio is on.
- Select Channel 16.
- Press/Hold the transmit button.
- Clearly say: "MAYDAY, MAYDAY, MAYDAY."
- Also give: Vessel Name and/or Description; Position and/or Location; Nature of

Emergency; Number of People on Board.

- · Release transmit button.
- Wait for 10 seconds If no response Repeat MAYDAY call.

HAVE ALL PERSONS PUT ON LIFE JACKETS!



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http://www.nws.noaa.gov/nwr/

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